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January 6, 2017

BLUE LAKES COUNTRY CLUB
PO BOX 5729
TWIN FALLS ID 83303-5729

RE: Expiration of Water Supply Bank Rental Agreement for water rights: 36-2083A, 36-2083B, 36-8593

Renter,

This letter is to inform you that your rental agreement(s) to rent the above listed water rights from the Water Supply Bank (Bank) expired at the end of 2016.

Once the rental agreement concludes, any diversion or use of water under the rental agreement will no longer be authorized and, if occurring, may be subject to an enforcement action.

If you wish to rent water in the future, please download a rental application from: <http://idwr.idaho.gov>. You may submit rental applications on November 1 of the year prior to the intended use of rental water. **YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO FILE AN APPLICATION AT LEAST 3 MONTHS PRIOR TO THE DATE YOU DESIRE TO USE RENTAL WATER.**

If you have any questions about this matter, please contact me at (208) 287-4918.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'RB' followed by a long horizontal stroke.

Remington Buyer
Water Supply Bank Coordinator

Enclosures:

DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCES

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
WATER SUPPLY BANK RENTAL AGREEMENT

The undersigned renter agrees to use the water rented under this agreement in accordance with the Water Supply Bank rules and in compliance with the limitations and conditions of use described in this agreement:

 GARY LOUNSBURY 4/12/16
Signature of Renter Printed Name and Title* Date

Signature of Renter Printed Name and Title* Date

*Please provide title of signatory if signing on behalf of a company or organization or with power of attorney

Having determined that this agreement satisfied the provisions of Idaho Code § 42-1763 and IDAPA 37.02.03.030 (Water Supply Bank Rule 30), for the rental and use of water under the terms and condition herein provided, and none other, I hereby execute this Rental Agreement on behalf of the Idaho Water Resource Board.

By  Date 4/14/2016
BRIAN PATTON, Acting Administrator
Idaho Water Resource Board

Rental Approved by IDWR  Date 4-14-2016

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
WATER SUPPLY BANK RENTAL AGREEMENT

WATER USE DETAILS

LOCATION OF POINT(S) OF DIVERSION

ALPHEUS CREEK NW¼NE¼ Lot 6 Sec. 33 Twp 09S Rge 17E JEROME County

BENEFICIAL USE

AESTHETIC

SEASON OF USE

03/15 TO 11/15

RENTER'S PLACE OF USE: AESTHETIC

Twp	Rge	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
09S	17E	33	X																

CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO ALL RENTED WATER RIGHTS

1. The use of water under this agreement shall be subject to the provisions of Idaho Code § 42-1766.
2. Rental of the specified right from the bank does not, in itself, confirm the validity of the right or any elements of the water right, or improve the status of the right including the notion of resumption of use. It does not preclude the opportunity for review of the validity of this water right in any other department application process.
3. Use of water under this agreement does not constitute a dedication of the water to renter's place of use, and upon expiration of this agreement, the points of diversion and place of use of the water shall revert to those authorized under the water right and/or again be available to rent from the bank.
4. This rental does not grant any right-of-way or easement to use the diversion works or conveyance works of another party.
5. Use of water under this agreement shall not prejudice any action of the Department in its consideration of an application for transfer or permit filed by the applicant for this same use.
6. Renter agrees to comply with all applicable state and federal laws while using water under this agreement.
7. Renter agrees to hold the Board, the Director and the state of Idaho harmless from all liability on account of negligent acts of the renter while using water.
8. Renter acknowledges and agrees that the Director may terminate diversion of water if the Director determines there is not a sufficient water supply for the priority of the right or portion thereof being rented.
9. Failure of the renter to comply with the conditions of this agreement is cause for the Director to rescind approval of the rental agreement.
10. Prior to diversion of water under this approval, the right holder shall provide a means of measurement and lockable controlling works for all authorized points of diversion. The means of measurement and controlling works must be suitable for control of the diversions and acceptable to the watermaster.
11. Use of water under this agreement will be regulated by a watermaster with responsibility for the distribution of water among appropriators within a water district. At the time of this approval, this water right is within State Water District No. 130.
12. Use of water under this agreement does not establish a minimum lake level right for Bass Lake or Little Bass Lake.

13. Aesthetic use is for lake level maintenance in Bass Lake and Little Bass Lake.
14. *Diversion volume under this rental for 36-2083A, 36-2083B and 36-8593 is limited to 38.1 AF.
15. Diversion of water for aesthetic use is authorized under this rental agreement. The rented water corresponds to 12.7 unirrigated acres among 36-2083A, 36-2083B and 36-8593.

CONDITION APPLICABLE TO RIGHT 36-8593

16. The diversion and use of water described in this right may be subject to additional conditions and limitations agreed to by the right holder and downstream water users under a separate agreement to which the Department is not a party. Because the Department is not a party, the Department is not responsible for the enforcement of any aspect of the agreement not specifically addressed in other conditions herein. Enforcement of those portions of the agreement not specifically addressed in conditions shall be the responsibility of the water right holder.



Idaho Water Resource Board
Water Supply Bank Rental Agreement

Effective until December 31, 2016

This map depicts the **rental place of use** pursuant to the rental agreement and is attached to the agreement solely for illustrative purposes.



-  Authorized Rental Point of Diversion
-  Authorized Rental Place of Use
-  Townships
-  PLS Sections
-  Quarter Quarters



0  Miles
0.25

STATE OF IDAHO
WATER RESOURCE BOARD

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DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCESAPPLICATION TO RENT WATER
FROM THE BOARD'S WATER SUPPLY BANKApplicant Name: Blue Lakes Country Club

Is this application being submitted with a lease application as a lease/rental package?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, specify companion water rights in Section 4

This application must be completed according to the minimum requirement checklist below. This checklist is part of the rental application and must be included with the rental application. Applications that do not meet the minimum requirements will not be placed in the processing queue and may be returned until all minimum requirements have been met.

Rental applications should be submitted well in advance of the desired start date for the use of rental water. Rental applications may be processed as early as November 1 of the year prior to the intended use of rental water. Any rental application received on or before November 1 for use in the next year will be assigned a received date of November 1. Rental applications submitted more than one year in advance of the proposed start date for the use of rental water will not be accepted and will be returned to applicants. Rental applications may be returned to applicants if the desired start date for the use of rental water cannot be accommodated by the Water Supply Bank. Rental requests will not be accepted once the rental season of use period has concluded.

One rental application per beneficial use of water. For multiple beneficial uses of water, separate rental requests should be submitted for each unique beneficial use of water. One rental application can be submitted if you propose to rent water from multiple sources.

For additional instructions on completing a rental application, visit the Bank's website at http://idwr.idaho.gov/water_supply_bank.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENT CHECKLIST

Check All Items as Either Attached (Yes) or Not Applicable (N/A)

Yes

- ☒ Completed *Application to Rent Water from the Board's Water Supply Bank*
- ☒ Confirmation that this form has been printed single sided, per requirement of the Water Supply Bank

Attachment N/A Yes

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|----|-------------------------------------|--|
| 2 | ☒ | A map showing the proposed point(s) of diversion, place(s) of use, and water diversion and distribution systems proposed to be used with your rental request |
| 3A | ☒ | ☐ Detailed information on a proposed use of rental water |
| 3F | ☒ | ☐ Authorization from the owner/operator of the rental point(s) of diversion |
| 3H | ☒ | ☐ Water modeling to account for the impacts of the rental request |
| 3J | ☒ | ☐ Documents justifying a rate of flow greater than 0.02 cfs/acre |
| 3K | ☒ | ☐ Authorization from the owner/operator of the property at the proposed rental place(s) of use |
| 4B | ☒ | ☐ Explanation of how the rental water will sufficiently accomplish your rental purposes |
| 4C | ☒ | ☐ Explanation of consumptive use amounts for water rights experiencing a change in nature of use |

Department Use Only – Proposed Water Right(s)

Application to Rent Water (Continued)

A. Applicant Blue Lakes Country Club

B. Is this application being completed by an authorized representative on behalf of the applicant? Yes ☒ No ☐
If yes, representatives (includes company employees if the applicant is a corporation, as well as legal counsel or consultants) should provide their information below if they desire to be included on correspondence with the rental applicant.

A. Describe why you desire to rent water and provide a detailed description of your proposed use. If the proposed use is not for irrigation, describe in detail how you determined the amount of rental water required. If the space below is insufficient, attach additional sheets as required and label them **Attachment 3A**:

C. This section must be completed in full. Enter the proposed start date and latest possible start date for using rental water as well as the number of years you would like to rent water. The latest possible start is the latest possible date by which you would be willing to pay for a rental and be able to benefit from utilizing rental water.

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Application to Rent Water (Continued)

- D. Describe your water distribution system and how rental water will be delivered from the point(s) of diversion (POD) to the proposed place of use (POU):

Water is pumped from Alpheus Creek through a 125 hp pump and distributed by a pipeline system throughout the property. A gated/metered pipe is used to deliver water into the lake.

- E. Describe the physical type (pump, headgate, etc.) and location of the POD from which rental water is proposed to be diverted:

POD Description	Water Source	Other Water Rights Diverted from this POD
125 hp pump by 15 green	Alpheus Creek	

If the POD(s) above are located where water is turned into a canal, lateral or ditch, or if they are located on your property but are serviced by water that is delivered via a canal, lateral or ditch, your rental request must include documented authorization from all relevant canal companies, irrigation districts and/or water delivery entities, confirming that they consent to your diversion of water from their system.

- F. Has documented consent from all relevant water delivery entities been obtained? Yes ☐ N/A ☒
If yes, include documented consent as Attachment 3F.

- G. Do any POD(s) identified in Question 3E divert from a water source that may require water modeling? Yes ☐ No ☒
Refer to the Water Modeling Requirements Information Sheet to determine if a rental POD may require water modeling.

- H. Has water modeling been provided with your rental request? Yes ☐ N/A ☒
If yes, label modeling Attachment 3 H.
Rental applications that require modeling will be returned if modeling is not provided.

- I. Specify the desired beneficial use of water and the requested season of use or number of acres required:

- ☐ Irrigation _____ (number of acres) Duration: Subject to IDWR standard seasons of use
- ☐ Commercial from: _____ (mm/dd) to: _____ (mm/dd)
- ☐ Stockwater from: _____ (mm/dd) to: _____ (mm/dd)
- ☐ Industrial from: _____ (mm/dd) to: _____ (mm/dd)
- ☒ Other: Maintain level of Bass Lake for water quality, from: 3/15/16 (mm/dd) to: 11/15/16 (mm/dd)
RECREATION AND AESTHETIC PURPOSE

- J. For irrigation uses, do you propose to divert water at a rate greater than 0.02 cfs/acre? N/A ☒ Yes ☐ No ☐
If yes, justify the rate of flow and attach any supporting documents as Attachment 3J. Justification may include information on soil composition, conveyance losses, crop type, irrigation systems, public access areas, etc. A rate of 0.03 cfs/acre is permissible for irrigation of 5 acres or less.

- K. Do you own the land at the proposed rental place of use (POU)? Yes ☒ No ☐
If no, attach documentation from the POU owner/operator confirming your authorization to use the POU and label it Attachment 3K.

- L. List all other water rights and sources of water at the rental place of use for the same purpose, including privately owned water rights and water received from a municipal supplier, an irrigation district, a canal company or any other water delivery entity. Explain why additional water is required:

None

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Application to Rent Water (Continued)

4. RENTAL REQUESTS FOR SPECIFIC WATER RIGHTS

A. Are you requesting to rent specific water rights?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, specify below the elements of the water rights you are requesting to rent. If no, continue to Question 4B.

Important Information: Diversion rates and volumes sought for rent must be proportionate to the per acre diversion rates and per acre volume limits of the water right under lease contract to the Water Supply Bank. Prior to completing this section, applicants should review all water right lease contracts and any active rental agreements to determine which elements of a water right are available to satisfy a rental request. Lease and rental documents are searchable via [IDWR's website](#).

Water rights identified below must either already be leased to the Bank or a lease proposal should accompany this rental request. Rental requests for water rights not yet leased to the Bank will be returned if companion lease applications are not provided with the rental request. For leased rights featuring combined limits, rentals must be consistent with combined diversion rate, volume or acre limits. Combined limits should be listed on a row below water right numbers.

Water Right Elements Leased to Water Supply Bank					Leased totals, minus water right elements involved in active rental agreements, equals water right elements available for rent	Water Supply Bank Rental Request		
Water Right Number (leave blank if sub-total of combined limits)	Nature of Use	Diversion Rate (CFS)	Volume (AF)	Acres (AC)		Diversion Rate (CFS)	Volume (AF)	Acres (AC)
36-2083A	Irrigation	0.16	49.6	12.4		0.16	49.6	
36-2083B	Irrigation	0.01	1.2	0.3		0.01	1.2	
36-8593	Irrigation	0.09	49.6	12.4		0.09	49.6	
Applicants must ensure the requested rate per acre and volume per acre do not exceed the rate per acre and volume per acre limits of water rights leased to the Water Supply Bank					TOTAL	.25	50.8	
						CFS	AF	AC

**Attach multiple copies of this page if space above is insufficient to list all water rights requested to be rented on this application.*

B. If water right conditions, combined limits, or the sum of all water right elements being requested provide an unconventional duty of water (e.g., an unusually low rate per acre or volume per acre for irrigation use), explain how your proposed rental will sufficiently accomplish your intended purposes. Attach a separate page if space is insufficient and label it **Attachment 4B**:

NA

C. Does your rental request propose to change the nature of use for any water right(s) being rented?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, explain how the water right(s) will be converted to new uses. Include the historic, consumptive use amounts for the water right being rented if you have it, as well as the new consumptive use amount for your proposed beneficial use. If space below is insufficient, attach a separate page and label it **Attachment 4C**:

We understand that rental volume will be limited to consumptive values for rental purposes. Desire to rent at full rate of flow.

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Application to Rent Water (Continued)

5. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- A. Is this the first time that rental water is being requested for this purpose at the rental place of use? Yes ☐ No ☒

If no, list previous rental requests/agreements and explain why you have not secured a permanent water right for your needs:

Lease - Rental packages 2002 - 2015.

- B. Have you or do you intend to submit an application for permit or transfer proposing a similar use as this rental?

If yes, describe:

Yes ☒ No ☐

We submitted an application for transfer 3 years ago but the application was declined. We are currently establishing some parameters with updated flow meters that will be helpful for future consideration.

- C. Was this rental application submitted in response to a Notice of Violation (NOV) or a pending NOV?

Yes ☐ No ☒

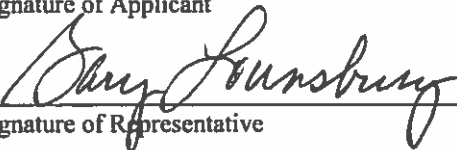
If yes, describe the date and location of the NOV.

- D. Additional Information

DECLARATION

I hereby assert that the information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any willful misrepresentations made in this application may result in rejection of the application or cancellation of an approval. I understand that if this rental application is approved, it will be subject to the provisions of Section 42-1766, Idaho Code and all applicable state and federal laws. I understand that the submission of a rental application provides no guarantee for approval of a rental agreement. I also understand that, per Idaho Code 42-201, it is unlawful to divert or use water without a valid water right and that I am not authorized to utilize water as proposed in this application prior to the execution of an approved rental agreement.

Signature of Applicant



Printed Name of Applicant

GARY LOUNSBURY

Date

2/19/16

Signature of Representative

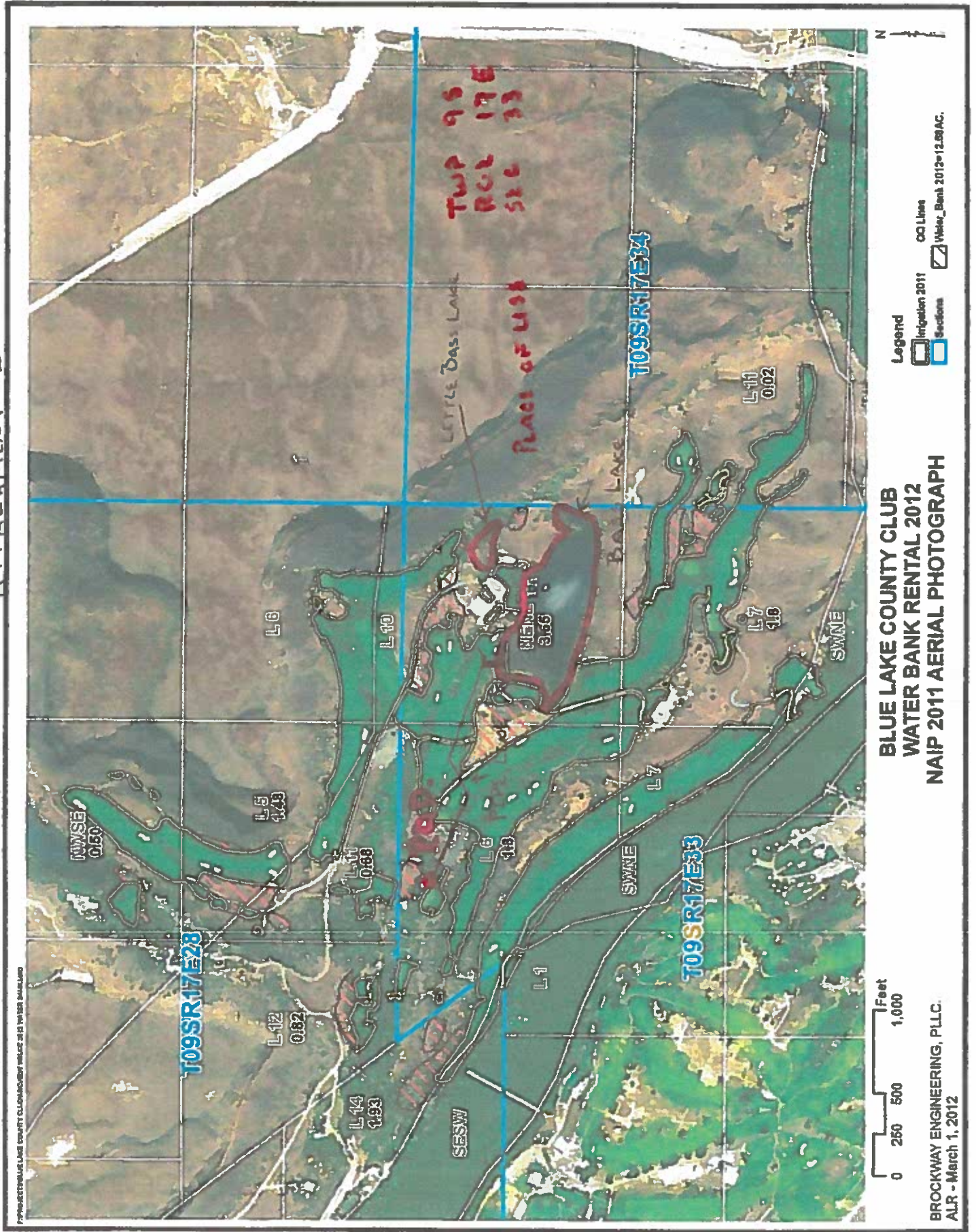
Printed Name of Representative

Date

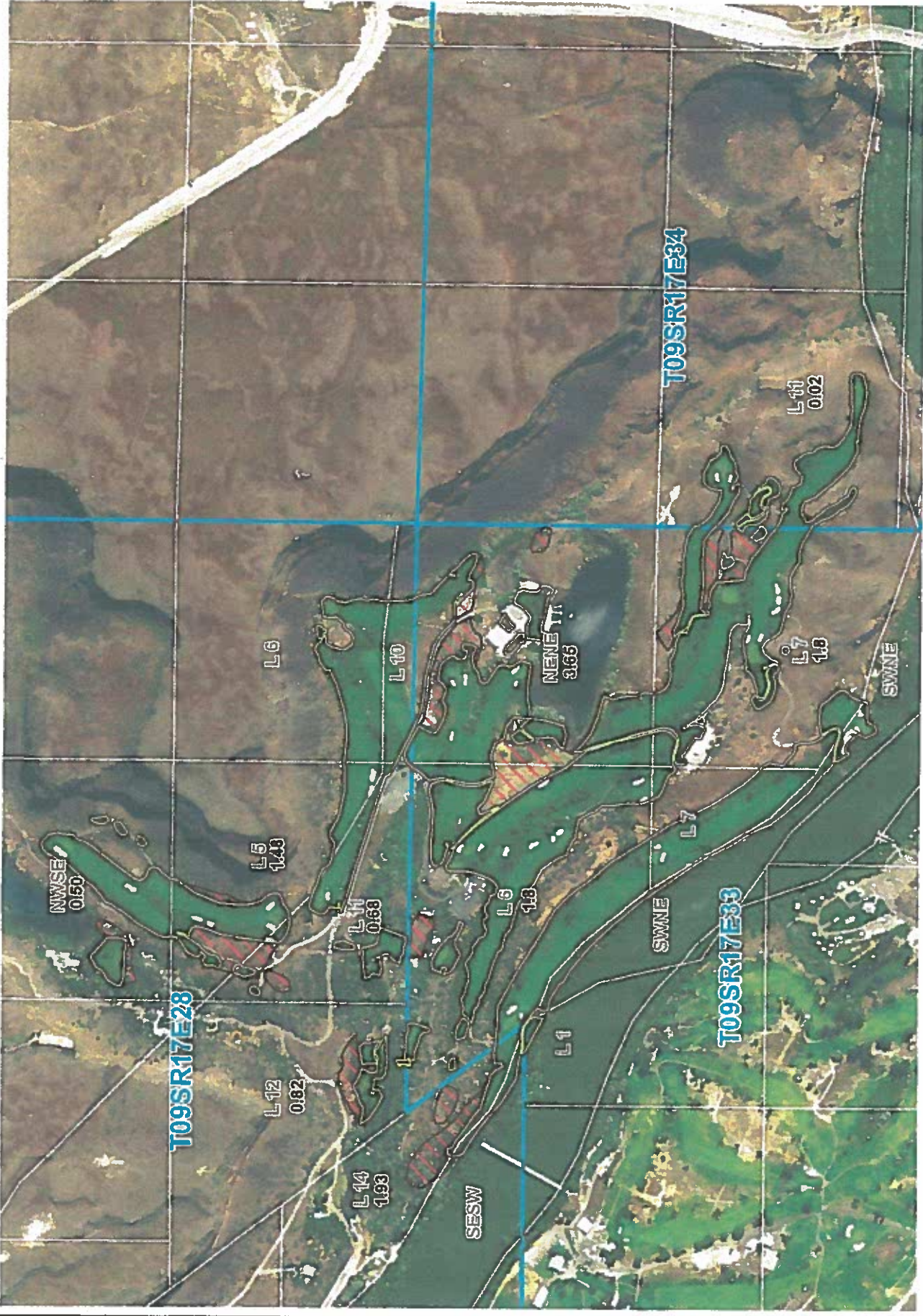
Mail to:

Idaho Department of Water Resources
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0098

ATTACHMENT 2



PROJECT: BLUE LAKE COUNTY CLONING, NEW MILCC 2011 WATER BANKING



0 250 500 1,000 Feet

Legend

- Inundation 2011
- Sections
- OO Lines
- Water Bank 2012=12.88AC

**BLUE LAKE COUNTY CLUB
WATER BANK RENTAL 2012
NAIP 2011 AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH**

BROCKWAY ENGINEERING, PLLC.
ALR - March 1, 2012

MOST RECENT AS OF APRIL 2014